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Hon. Herbert Brownell, Jr. Lord, Day & Lord 25 Breedway Hew York &, How York

Dear Herb:

Thank you very much for your letter of 25 February concerning Lee Rankin.

I was glad to write a letter regarding Lee's proposed non-resident membership in the Association and I am enclosing a copy of my letter to the Committee on Admissions.

Sincerely,

Allen V. Dulles Director

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February 25, 1958

Honorable Allen W. Dulles Director Central Intelligence Agency 2030 E Street, N. W. Washington, D. C.

Dear Allen:

I am sponsoring and Beth Webster is seconding a proposal to The Century Association that they elect our mutual friend, J. Lee Rankin, Solicitor General of the United States, as a non-resident member of The Century. I would be very pleased and I know Lee Rankin would be complimented if you feel that you know him well enough and are in a position to write a letter to the Committee on Admissions in support of the proposal.

With best regards.

Sincerely,

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